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In re Patent Application of

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For: A NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING  
METHOD OF DETERMINING THE  
SERVICE METAL TEMPERATURE  
OF A COMPONENT

) **Mail Stop Amendment**

) Group Art Unit: 1742

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) Confirmation No.: 6934

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2005. A Petition for Extension of Time (one-month) is submitted herewith. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: